18th October 1927]

APPENDIX XVII.

[Vide answer to question No. 603 asked by Mr. K. V. R. Swami at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 18th October 1927, page 77 supra.]

Letter from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works and Labour Department, dated the 13th May 1927, No. 302/27-B/3.

[Irrigation—Tiruvannamalai taluk—Kilpannathur and other villages—Legislative Council question No. 12, dated 24th January 1927.]

The scheme referred to lies in the Varahanadhi Minor Basin of the Tiruvannamalai taluk. This was partly investigated by the old Tank Restoration Scheme division, but further investigation was postponed when the division was abolished in 1922.

2. As regards the particular scheme in question the Superintending Engineer reports that no investigation has hitherto been carried out by the Tank Restoration Scheme Party. The question of investigation will be taken up as early as possible, as soon as a decision has been arrived at in regard to the establishment asked for by the Superintending Engineer for the investigation of the minor basins in the South Arcot district.

APPENDIX XVIII.

[Vide answer to question No. 620 asked by Mr. G. R. Premayya at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 18th October 1927, page 84 supra.]

Statement I—Municipal Councils.

Name of municipal council.	Total elective strength.	Number of nominated members.	Caste of each nominated member. (as on 30th June 1927). Brahman.	Muhammadan.	Indian Christian.	Non-Brahman.	Depressed classes.	Remarks.
Chirala	12	4	1	1	..	One Vaisya.	One toddy-drawer.	..
Narasaraopet ..	12	4	..	2	1	One Viswa-Brahman.	..	..
Guntur	21	7	..	..	1	One Balija.	..	Five seats vacant.
Tenali	15	5	..	1	1	One Kamma. One Zakkula.	..	One seat vacant.
Ongole	12	4	..	1	2	One Viswa-Brahman.	..	..

Statement II—Union Boards.

Number of elected members ... 303 } as on 31st March 1926.
Number of nominated members ... 93 }